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**METHOD, SYSTEM, AND COMPUTER-READABLE MEDIUM
FOR CREATING ELECTRONIC LITERARY WORKS,
INCLUDING WORKS PRODUCED THEREFROM**

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Accordingly, Applicant believes that this application presents new, useful and non-obvious technology and that the claims presented with this application are allowable. The Examiner is courteously solicited to enter an expeditious allowance of this application. If any questions remain to be addressed, it is respectfully

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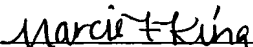
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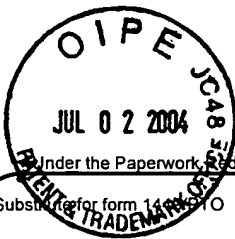
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